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For: **SYSTEM, METHOD, AND APPARATUS FOR IMPROVED PACKAGING OF DATA TAPE CARTRIDGES**

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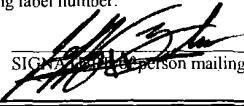
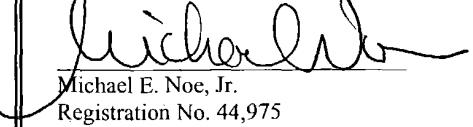
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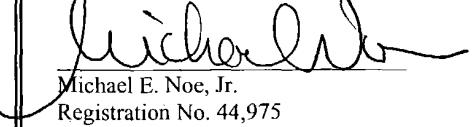
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